CHAPTER NO. 157

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152

By Representatives Overbey, Ferguson, Russell Johnson, Montgomery, Hagood, McCord, Roach, DuBois

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1457

By Senator Clabough

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-609, relative to appeals from the final settlement of an account, decisions, rulings, orders or judgments by a general sessions court with probate jurisdiction.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-609, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(e)

(1) The provisions of subsection (b)(2) and subsection (c) shall not apply in counties having a population of

Not more than	Not less than
105,800	105,900
71,100	71,200
44,200	44,300
39,050	39,150

according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census.

(2) In any county set out in subdivision (1), any person adversely affected by the settlement or any decision, ruling, order or judgment of the probate court shall appeal to the court of appeals unless otherwise prohibited by law or rule of court.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 5, 2003

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

> JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 19th day of May 2003

PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR